

CATO'S SONG.

[Harper's Weekly.]

"Cato, have you quite forgotten
How you used among the cotton
Still to sing some pleasant strain?"
"Laws, miss, I can sing again,
And the clear voice clearer rang,
As he swung his hoe and sang."

"If you want de purest water,
Jist go up de mountain side,
Whar de river starts his running
Down to catch de great sea tide.
If you want de reddest roses,
You will find dem nodding high,
Whar dem catch de blessed dew drops,
Whar dem see de morning sky."

"Would you eat dem sweetest peaches,
Juicy red or yellow bright,
Den you hab to climb up fur dem
Whar dey grow right in de light.
Ef you seek true friend or lover,
Upward too de road you take;
Hearts should neber trabel downward,
Else dey mighty apt to break."

"If you look fur fame or glory,
You must climb up wid a will;
Fur 'tis jist de same old story—
Up and up, and onward still.
We am born down in de valley,
But if heart and feet don't tire,
We can still be going upward,
Upward, higher, higher, higher."

"Higher! higher! higher! higher!"
And at every cotton hill
Well and swift he did his hoeing,
Sing louder, clearer still.
Till I heard the echoes ringing
In my spirit brave and strong,
Till I homeward turned me singing,
Singing over Cato's song."

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At the age of 86 years Mr. Evans has accomplished more work in his office, in the courts and as a public speaker in lyceums and universities than few men have been able to attain. During the coming campaign it is expected he will be one of the leading political speakers. His labors as leading counsel in President Johnson's impeachment trial, in the tribunal at Geneva, Switzerland, for the settlement by arbitration of the Alabama claims, and as chief counsel in the Beecher-Tilton trial have won for him world-wide distinction. His wonderful success is due to his habits of persevering industry. He is possessed of a marvelous memory, and as a speaker his sentences are remarkable for their extremely great length.

A Candidate's Mistake.

[Chicago News.]

"Madam, may I kiss these beautiful children?" inquired Uncle Dick Oglesby, as he leaned over the front gate.
"Certainly, sir; there is no possible objection."
"They are lovely darlings," said Uncle Dick, after he had finished the eleven. "I have seldom seen more beautiful babies. Are they all yours, marm?"
The lady blushed deeply.

"Of course they are—the sweet little treasures! From whom else, marm, could they have inherited these limpid eyes, these rosy cheeks, these profuse curls, these comely figures and these musical voices?"
The lady continued blushing.

"By the way, marm," said Uncle Dick, "may I bother you to tell your estimable husband that Richard J. Oglesby, Republican candidate for governor, called upon him this evening?"
"Alas, good sir," quoth the lady, "I have no husband."

"But these children, madam—you surely are not a widow?"
"I feared you were mistaken, sir, when you first came up. These are not my children. This is an orphan asylum!"

Cremation Among the Northmen.

[Exchange.]

Cremation was the universal method of disposal of the dead among our Norse ancestors so late as the tenth century. This was true of the Warangian rulers of Russia, as appears from an account given by Ahmed Ibn Fozlan, ambassador from the Caliph Al Moktadar, who wrote A. D. 921. "You Arabs are fools," said one of the Russian North men to the ambassador. "You take the man whom you must have loved and honored, and put him down in the earth, where vermin and worms devour him. We, on the contrary, burn him up in a twinkling, and he goes straight to paradise."

An Average Life.

It is stated that in an average life of fifty years a man works 6,000 days and sleeps as many more, eats 2,000, walks 800, is sick 500, and spends the rest of the half century in amusing himself.

The Ingleside: The mistake that is made both by lovers of art on the one side and the haters of art on the other, is this: they both look upon it as something imported into the world, rather than something growing out of it.

Mamma—Did you seed the cherries?
Little Ned—No, ma, I saw them.

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